

MEMORANDUM FOR: DCT

Just received this information  
on areas of particular interest to  
the HASC. I have passed a  
copy on to Harry Rowen to make  
sure that the backup briefings  
cover them in detail. Your  
summary statement will touch on  
some of them.



cc: DDCT

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

FROM: Chief, Legislative Liaison Division

SUBJECT: House Armed Services Committee (HASC) Worldwide Briefing,  
27 January 1982

1. As you are aware, the DCI will present his Worldwide Intelligence Briefing before the House Armed Services Committee on Wednesday, 27 January 1982, at 1000 hours in Room 2117 of the Rayburn House Office Building. Agency security personnel will sweep the hearing room prior to the DCI's appearance and monitor the proceedings as per normal. A transcript will be taken.

2. Although last year's Worldwide was completed in the morning, the Committee would like the DCI or his principal backups to be available to come back in the afternoon if necessary for further questioning.

3. This briefing should go pretty smoothly. HASC rarely calls on us for support since they are no longer an official Oversight Committee and when they do it is generally for information seeking-type briefings, which are well received usually, and not probing, inquisition-style hearings on Agency internal management.

4. On Wednesday, they would like the DCI to cover the major "hot-spots" in the world, as he did last year. The staff has not as yet--and probably will not--prepare detailed questions prior to Wednesday. From discussions with the staff, however, we have learned certain areas that the Members are particularly interested in and on which most questions will probably focus. A list of these topics is attached.

5. Attached for the DCI's briefing book are a briefing sheet listing the HASC Members and key staffers, biographic profiles of the Members, and a copy of a worldwide map that, if you agree, will be passed out to the Members.

6. Once you have determined who will be accompanying the DCI on Wednesday, please let us know so that a formal witness list can be prepared.

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cc DDI

Attachments  
As stated

Areas of Particular Interest

- Arms Dealings in South America
- The Polish Situation
- The Security Situation in the Sinai in Light of the Upcoming Israeli Withdrawal
- Nicaragua Situation
- The Rise in Anti-U.S. Terrorist Attacks and Possible Ways to Reduce These Attacks
- Soviet Military Balance

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NOTE FOR: Dick Lehman

FROM: DCI

Dick:

Too much generality--I will need to simplify but I want to have on hand specific details. Numbers--broad ones--on strategic and Warsaw Pact balance. How many military advisors and technicians do we have in Third World countries. Describe tripling of Soviet arms deliveries to Cuba and nature and possible purpose thereof. Describe shift in share of Third World arms market held by U.S. and USSR--check out and flush out a little statement to PFIAB.

Central America--more specifics on Nicaragua and El Salvador forces and plans.

Africa--more specifics on Libyan mischief in central and west Africa--Morocco--Chad--Sudan.

Technological race--how many new systems lifted count from 150 to 200--confirm this--enough breakdown, range and illustrations to give flavor and feel for significance.

Soviet future--more detail on succession, machinery, issues, implications--asked Gates for this.

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